

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application:

Alvaro et al.

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Examiner: Chang, C.

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Art Unit: 1625

For: SUBSTITUTED-4-PHENYL-PIPERIDIN-AMIDES AS TACHYKININ ANTAGONISTS AND
SEROTONIN REUPTAKE INHIBITORS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action electronically sent on February 13, 2009. Applicants believe that no other fees are due in connection with the filing of this paper other than those specifically authorized herewith. If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, Applicants request that this be considered a Petition therefore and authorize the Commissioner to charge additional fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.